



# Can I Burn?

	Yes (with a permit)	No (under any circumstances)	Maybe (see footnotes)	Yes (Exempt)
<b>Government Entity</b>				
Can I burn prairie for maintenance?	✓			
Can I burn "landscape waste" for maintenance?	✓			
Can I burn debris from clearing and grubbing for expansion?	✓			
Can I burn "trade waste"?		✓		
Can I burn "landscape waste" not originating on my property?	✓			

**Polk County Chapter V, Article I, Section 5-2 Definitions:**

"**Landscape waste**" means any vegetable or plant wastes, except garbage. The term includes trees, tree trimmings, branches, stumps, brush, weeds, leaves, grass, shrubbery, and yard trimmings.

"**Trade waste**" means all solid or liquid material or rubbish resulting from building operations, construction, demolition operations, or the conduct of any business industry, governmental or institutional activity, or trade, including, but not limited to, chemicals, cinders, grease, paint, plastic products, and other forms of liquid or solid waste materials, whether or not for profit.